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AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF \$120,341.00 FROM THE SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM BOARD OF TRUSTEES TO ADMINISTER THE WATER METER DISCOUNT AFFORDABILITY PROGRAM FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2004; APPROVING A BUDGET AND PERSONNEL COMPLEMENT IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

WHEREAS, the City of San Antonio (City) established and continued the Water Meter Discount Affordability Program (WMDAP) through Ordinances No. 92752 and No. 93597 dated October 19, 2000 and March 15, 2001, respectively, allowing eligible low-income ratepayers to receive a 50% discount on their monthly water meter charge; and

WHEREAS, the City and the San Antonio Water System (System) Board of Trustees have agreed to continue to operate WMDAP in Calendar Year (CY) 2004 under the terms of the existing Inter-Jurisdictional Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the System has agreed to pay the City \$120,341.00 for the purpose of implementing WMDAP in CY 2004; NOW THEREFORE:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The City Manager, or her designee, is authorized to accept \$120,341.00 from the San Antonio Water System (System) Board of Trustees to administer the Water Meter Discount Affordability Program (WMDAP) in Calendar Year (CY) 2004 in accordance with the WMDAP Inter-Jurisdictional Agreement. A copy of said agreement is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as Attachment I.

SECTION 2. Fund No. 26-012258, entitled "SAWS Water Meter Discount Program", is hereby designated for use in accounting of said program.

SECTION 3. The CY 2004 WMDAP Budget and Personnel Complement, attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as Attachments II and III are hereby approved.

SECTION 4. The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Director of Finance, City of San Antonio. The Director may, subject to concurrence by the City Manager or the City Manager's designee, correct allocations to specific Index Codes and Fund Numbers as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. This ordinance shall be effective on and after the tenth (10th) day after passage hereof.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 4th day of Deemler

ATTEST: May fou Modingij

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APPROVED AS TO FORM: Upplut Uum

City Attorney